

News of Intermountain Region

DUSTY DAYS HAD BY JUDGE BOOTH

Number of Orders Are Made in District Court at Provo.

MAN IN STATE PRISON WANTS TIME TO ANSWER

Other Interesting News Items From the Garden City.

Special to The Tribune. PROVO, Dec. 27.—Judge Booth transacted the following business in the district court today: The Western Loan & Savings company vs. Francis A. Jackman et al.; the motion to submit notes and mortgage as evidence heard and taken under advisement.

John G. Slater vs. Benjamin Drainage District No. 1; motion to make the complaint more specific was denied and defendants given twenty days to answer. In the case of Isaac N. Whitaker vs. Benjamin Drainage District No. 1, the motion for judgment on the pleadings was heard and taken under advisement. Thirty jurors were drawn for service at the January term and the venire made returnable January 10 at 10 a. m.

In the divorce case of Ida M. Bolin vs. T. H. Bolin, the defendant, who is now an inmate of the State Prison, has admitted service of summons and takes until December 31, 1909, to plead to the complaint.

Action for Divorce.

Lillian Rebecca Lewellen has begun her divorce suit in the district court from John E. Lewellen, and alleges as grounds that the defendant has treated her in a cruel and inhuman manner during all of her married life. The most recent date of treatment is alleged to be December 21, 1909, when Mrs. Lewellen says her husband struck her in the face with his fist and on the same day he choked her and on the same day he choked her.

Other Provo News.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Mrs. Collins and Emily Frampson, both of Provo, by E. J. Johnson, clerk of the Provo, Woods of Castle Dale. Ten tramps were before Justice Noon on Monday on charges of vagrancy and were given \$5 each. They promised to get out of town by Tuesday. If they failed to do so, the court told them they would be given hard labor sentences. A man named Brown, who is suffering from a badly frozen foot and is being treated by the city physician, was taken to the hospital on Monday and is expected to be discharged on Tuesday. The man was taken to the hospital on Monday and is expected to be discharged on Tuesday.

MURRAY NEWS NOTES

Special to The Tribune. MURRAY, Dec. 27.—The last regular session of the present city council will be held today night and it is expected that considerable business will be transacted on the table for some time will be transacted. The question of extending the lighting franchise of the Progress company probably will receive its final hearing. Other matters, such as the proposed extension of the city limits, will be taken up.

SANDY NOTES

Special to The Tribune. SANDY, Dec. 27.—The new city officers of Sandy for the next two years will assume their duties Monday. The city council here does not meet in weekly sessions as do the county bodies in the county, but instead, assemble twice a month. Mayor W. D. Kuhn, elected in the council election, has already served in the office of mayor for two years. The council is expected to take action on the resignation of W. W. Wilson, the road record behind them, leaving a good record behind them, leaving a good record behind them.

FALLS TO HIS DEATH WHILE SEEKING A JOB

Special to The Tribune. WEISER, Idaho, Dec. 27.—Mayor Tackey, a resident of Vale, Oregon, died today of a fall from a building in the course of construction in this city. He was a carpenter, was looking for a job. He was, it is said, interested when he went up into the second story of the building, when he fell through the rafters to the first floor, breaking his leg in two places and fracturing his skull. He never regained consciousness after the fall, which occurred Friday afternoon.

A FACT ABOUT THE "BLUES"

What is known as the "Blues" is seldom occasioned by actual existing external conditions, but in the great majority of cases by a disordered liver.

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OGDEN DEPARTMENT

PERMANENT OFFICE, 2138 1/2 WASHINGTON AVENUE. BOTH PHONES 322; OFFICE HOURS 8 A. M. TO 10:30 A. M., 6 P. M. TO 8 P. M.

OGDEN COUNCIL HOLDS UP LIQUOR LICENSES

Chief of Police Will Investigate With Respect to Observance of Ordinance.

Special to The Tribune. OGDEN, Dec. 27.—A large number of applications for the renewal of retail liquor licenses presented to the city council at the regular session this evening were held up for five days at the request of Chief of Police Browning, who has started a thorough inspection of all saloons of the city to ascertain how many places are violating the new liquor ordinance. The applications, when read by the city recorder tonight, lacked the signature of Chief Browning, as required by the ordinance. It was explained that the chief of police has recently found that several saloons are not observing certain sections of the ordinance, particularly those which require that no saloon be an unobstructed view of the interior of all wine rooms and poolrooms run in connection with the saloon. The renewal of the licenses was deferred until next Friday evening, when the council will hold its last session before the newly elected members are installed.

On the recommendation of the city engineer, the final estimates due P. J. Moran of Salt Lake City for work done in paving about 100 feet of the main street, amounting to \$152.51, and the Wheelwright Construction company for work in the same district, amounting to \$132.29, were allowed.

The matter of opening Twenty-ninth street from Adams to Pacific avenues, with a large number of improvements, planned, was deferred for the next adjournment to pass upon, and a large amount of business of the city was transacted on the same matter now in the hands of the city engineer was likewise postponed.

The majority bond of William Glasman for \$5000, furnished by the United States Fidelity and Casualty company, was approved.

Removal of Ice Begins.

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NEWS OF EPHRAIM

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The M. D. D. club is doing itself proud in the matter of furnishing its members with a winter's work. Most of the current magazines and periodicals are to be found on the shelves of the club. The organization is no longer a fledgling in educational work, but is a well-established organization of young men of the city, who are boosters for all the good things of the town.

BUFFALO ADMINISTRATION MAY NEED CLEANING UP

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 27.—An extravagant use of public funds, favoritism to contractors and other shortcomings are charged against executive branches of the city government in a report submitted to the trustees of the chamber of commerce today by its municipal affairs committee.

NEGRO IS TAKEN FROM OFFICERS AND LYNCHED

CANYON CITY, Ore., Dec. 27.—Orville Snyder, who killed Arthur Green near Junction Bar in a row on December 24 and who had given himself up to the authorities, was taken from Deputy Sheriff J. H. Casady, while on his way to the jail early yesterday morning, by five masked men, who shot him to death.

FIRST ICE CROP DAMNED WHEN CARLIN DRAIN BREAKS

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GIFFORD PINCHOT WILL ATTEND BIG CONVENTION

Special to The Tribune. OGDEN, Dec. 27.—Chief Forester Gifford Pinchot will be present at the National Wool Growers' convention, which meets here early in January. President Fred W. Gooding of the Wool Growers' association has notified Secretary I. L. Reynolds of the executive committee to that effect.

Slasher's Hearing Begun.

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Moran Rewards Firemen.

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Harrisville Is Stricken.

Special to The Tribune. HARRISVILLE, Dec. 27.—The epidemic of smallpox in Harrisville and its vicinity continues, despite the efforts of the health authorities of the county. At the regular session of the county board of health today, two new cases were reported from Farr West by County Physician Fiddick. A strict quarantine is being maintained at all homes where the disease is found. It is reported that nearly 50 cases of the disease have been reported in Harrisville this season.

Coal Arrives.

Special to The Tribune. OGDEN, Dec. 27.—The arrival of eleven cars of coal, averaging fifty tons to the car, consisted of live local coal and a small amount of imported coal, here and lessened the probabilities of a famine, which was feared several days ago. The coal dealers say that there will be no further shortage of the coal, as the railroad companies have assured them that all shipments will be handled promptly in the future.

Richfield News Notes

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Mr. Bickel has returned home after a trip to the coast in the interest of the Utah Keen's cement and plaster. The cement is being used in the construction of the new school building in San Francisco. In a letter received by Mr. Bickel from the California cement company, it is stated that the cement is equal to any made in the world.

One of the prominent features of the club's work this winter will be the preparation of several debates. The first will be a debate on "Woman's Suffrage." The opponents of the club are D. L. Johnson and D. L. Johnson.

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